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SUBJECT: KOREA IN 30TH UNGA: PANAMANIAN POSITION

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1. ON MONDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 27, KOREAN EMBOFF ADVISED US THAT ROK SPECIAL AMBASSADOR HAD OBTAINED COMMITMENT OF SUPPORT FROM GENERAL TORRIJOS DURING VISIT HERE. KOREAN EMBASSY HERE WAS ADVISED ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, THAT INSTRUCTIONS HAD BEEN SENT TO NEW YORK BY ACTING FONMIN OZORES THAT PANAMA SUPPORT FRIENDLY RES, OPPOSE PRIORITY FOR HOSTILE RES, AND VOTE NO RPT NO ON HOSTILE RES. KOREAN EMBASSY AWARE THAT PANAMANIAN PERMREP TO UN BOYD IS IN PANAMA, BUT HAS HEARD NOTHING TO INDICATE THAT PANAMANIAN INSTRUCTIONS ARE BEING CHANGED.

2. SUBSEQUENTLY, EMBOFFS MET WITH PEDRO BRIN (FONMIN DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, CONFERENCES AND TREATIES), WHO STATED FLATLY THAT INSTRUCTIONS HAD

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BEEN SENT TO NEW YORK PROVIDING FOR ALL THAT SOUTH

KOREANS HAD WANTED. EMBOFFS RECALLED THAT THIS INCLUDED THREE SEPARATE ITEMS: YES ON FRIENDLY RES, NO ON HOSTILE RES AND NO ON PRIORITY. BRIN INDICATED ASSENT, AND REPEATED THAT PANAMANIAN INSTRUCTIONS PROVIDED FOR COMPLETE SUPPORT OF WHAT ROK HAD ASKED.

3. AMBASSADOR SEEKING TO SPEAK WITH HIGHER AUTHORITIES TO CONFIRM FOREGOING AND TO REITERATE US CONCERNS (REFTEL ON THIS ISSUE.
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